Approved For Release 2006/09/28: CIA-RDP83M00914R003000090033-8 23 April 1982 MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, Near Eastern and South Asian Analysis, DDI Chief, Near East and South Asia Division, DDO : Special Assistant to the Director for Interdepartmental Affairs SUBJECT Support for Director's Trip

1. John McMahon indicated yesterday that the Director is particularly concerned about events in North Yemen. As a result, the Director would like to have the most recent information we have on the situation in North Yemen for his upcoming trip.

- 3. The Director, of course, will want to be completely up to date on the situation in Afghanistan, particularly the status of the insurgent activity.
- 4. I realize that Chuck will be preparing his own package of material for the Director's use, but please provide me, no later than COB Wednesday, 28 April, any material on the above subjects for the Director to take with him. Because the Director's actual departure date is still not firm, we may need the material earlier. Please provide it as soon as possible.

cc: Ex. Dir. DDO DDI

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM

SA/DCI/IA

SUBJECT

: Substantive Background Material for your Trip

- l. Per your request, I pulled together this "briefcase full" of background reading material on the various regions you will be visiting. Most of the material was supplied by the DDI, but the packages also include some interagency assessments. Because it is background material on regional tensions and conflicts, much of the material consists of recent on-the-shelf publications. Where you had specific requests, and where otherwise necessary, original material was produced and on-the-shelf assessments were updated. I believe the material is responsive.
- 2. I have organized the material, in general, according to your itinerary, although some of the information is relevant to more than one of your stops,

  The books consist of the following:

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- -- Tunisîa/Libya
- -- Pakistan
- -- Afghanistan
- -- Somali and the Horn
- -- Sudan
- -- Oman and the Yemens
- -- Saudi Arabia and the Persian Gulf
- 3. In addition, you asked for background reading on:
  - -- Greece/Turkey/Cyprus problem
  - -- Soviet Succession and Leadership
  - -- Soviet Minorities and Industrial Organization
  - -- Chinese Leadership and Succession
  - -- European Peace Movement
- 4. Because of its general applicability to the whole trip, I included a copy of the 1 March edition of the draft NIE on Key Military Issues in the Middle East.
- have provided you separate background information specifically oriented to your visit and your meetings. There may be a little overlap in the material, but hopefully we have not weighed you down with too much extra data. I wanted to be on the generous side, in any case, in order for you to be able to pick and choose what you wish to dig into. I do not believe there is any chance that you will be bored during your long hours on the plane.

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6. I wish you a safe and productive trip. I will plan on having our activities over the next ten days summarized for you upon your return. Bon voyage.

cc: DDCI (with attachments)

Executive Director (without attachments)

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